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MAN SUBJECT TO RESTRAINING ORDER SENTENCED TO 14 MONTHS FOR ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF A FIREARM

TUCSON – Robert Perez Juarez, 43, of Tucson, was sentenced here today to 14 months in prison to be followed by 36 months of supervised release, by United States District Court Judge Raner C. Collins. Juarez pleaded guilty to Possession of a Firearm by a Person Subject to a Domestic Restraining Order on January 4, 2007.

On June 18, 2005, Juarez was involved in a traffic accident. During the investigation of the traffic accident it became obvious to Tucson Police officers that Juarez was carrying a .45 caliber handgun in a belt holster. A records check indicated that Juarez was a prohibited possessor because he was subject to a Wisconsin State Domestic Restraining Order that specifically indicated he was not permitted to possess firearms. Juarez was subsequently arrested and the weapon was seized.

The investigation in this case was conducted by the Tucson Field Office of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives. The prosecution is being handled by David P. Petermann, Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Arizona.

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